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# BENTON'S CORNER.

each bought policies in the Holt County Farmers' Fire Insurance Company and the Farmers' Cyclone, Tornado and Windstorm Insurance Company of Rock Port last week. John J. Lukens insured week before last in the fire department or

I will hold a street sale this Saturday at 3 o'clock p. m. A lot of Household Goods; I Jersey Bull Calf; 16 head of Shoats will all be sold at this sale. These street sales are growing more popular all the while. Come in and patronize them

# R. C. BENTON,

# Dealer in Real Estate and Insurance,

OREGON.

-Go and see J. Watson & Co., for your groceries, as cheap as anybody can

-- Schulte Bros sell First class Steel Ranges from \$10 to \$20 cheaper than the Steel Range Peddlers.

Joseph Hodgurs and his sons de livered a bunch of cattle to Maitland thresher repair of D. M. Martin, and if parties last week. They averaged 1440 you want an outfit be sure and see him.

Steel Range Peddlers.

-The various Jubiles committees appointed, are requested to hand in'a written report as to progress made, and estimated amount of funds needed for or department. This report must be filed with the executive committee which

creed that second, third, and fourth class ul matter shall no longer be returned third, has accepted a position in L. I. to the sender or reforwarded to another | Moore's grocery store, commencing work address until extra postage has been prepaid. The classes of matter affected by the new rule include newspapers and all periodicals, books, pamphlets, circulars, and the like, and merchandise.

-A cyclone passed through a rich sec- D. A. Gelvin has shipped 60 cars of stock from this station to the market so day afternoon of last week, causing havor to live stock and farm property, stock from this station to the market so Dozens of frame and stone buildings far this month. From July 1, last year were demolished and in some instances to July 1, this year he shipped from this scarcely a vestige of frame structures station 400 cars of cattle and hogs and

pleted its work. -The postoffice department has provided means whereby postal money or-ders may be sent to the boys in the field and to the soldiers or sailors at or adja-cent to points now or hereafter to be occupied in foreign localities where military operations are being carried on. In other words, wherever an American in bonds have been applied for by the soldier is located, he is on American people of Holt county as no one person soil, and any remittances made by us to will have over \$5,000 worth, the showsoil, and any remittances made by us to him will be promptly paid at the money order stations established at the different camps. It will cost no more to send a money order to Manila than it would

Through Tourist Sleepers to Portland, Oregon, For Puget Sound and Alaska Travel.

They leave St. Louis at 8:45 P. M. Wednesdays; Kansas City 10:40 A. M. Thursdays; St. Joseph, 12:40 P. M. Thursdays, and run via Lincoln, Denver, Scenic Colorado, & Salt Lake City. The current lowest rates to Seattle, Tacoma and Puget Sound ports apply via this route, offering an unusual chance to make steamer arrangements either at Portland, Tacoma or Seattle. Ask your ticket agent or the under-signed for special folder containing all

St. Louis, Mo.

VINE HOVEY, Agent, Forest City, Mo

ceive bids for 50 cords of good hard, dry body wood, with no large knots. To be let in 10 cord lots at public outry, at the Court House, to the lowest and best bidder, on MONDAY, the 1st day of AU GUST, 1898. By order of the County family, but Oregon can beat this the office for about three years, suc ceeds Mr. Klippel as manager." We are glad to learn of Edgar's promotion for he is a deserving and worthy young man, and besides, we are always glad to learn of this ceeds the largest family in the United States until this record is beaten.

# Don't Be Foolish Enough to pay 8 per cent on your FARM LOANS

-You can get the photo buttons and

oultry at Oregon, at all times, at curent market prices. - Go and see Frank Huiatt for feed nd fuel. He will make the prices right. Remember that he can supply you with good stove wood.

ZOOK'S GALLERY.

-Hot lunch at the Denver Bakeryeefsteak and eggs, bread butter and not coffee, 15cts. Pies, cookies and all kinds of cold lunch.

- For choice breakfast bacon, country hams, sliced or by the ham, go to the meat market of Wickersham and Carc. They keep on hand everything in the

meat line that can be procured.

—Speaking of the Pop labor commis-sioner's denunciation of the middle of the roaders as in the pay of the Repub-licans, a cynical North Missouri editor calls attention to the fact that if there is anything that harrows up the soul of the good Mr. Rozelle, it is to think of a Populist being in the pay of any party except the Democratic.

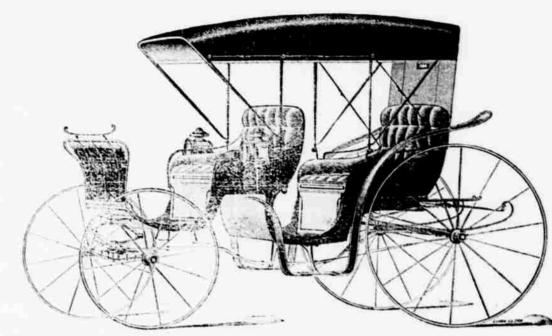
# J. N. Zachman & Co. will buy your outry at Oregon, at all times, at cur-

Oregon, Mo.,

Keeps everything in the grocery line. Orders solicited. Free and Prompt Delivery.

# Produce Wanted.

# The quality of the articles we offer is all that could be desired and the designs are unique and D. M. MARTIN & CO., Forest City, Mo.,



# CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, WAGONS, HARNESS,

-The Maitland fair will be held Auand a full line of implements. Our Motto, "GOOD GOODS AT HONEST PRICES." gust 16, 17, 18 and 19, 1898. A special bus Buggies; the best buggy on wheels for the money. train will be run on the 18th one and

# BAIN, WEBER AND BIRDSELL WAGONS.

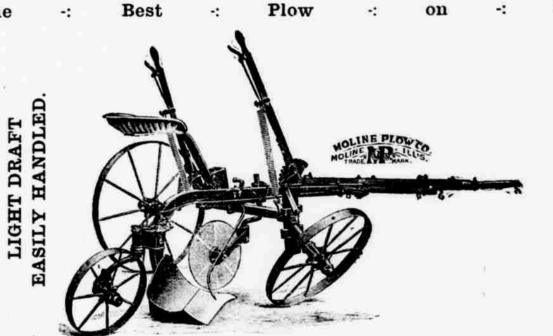
In Cultivators we will the Old Rehable "New Departure," St. Joseph, Moline, Collins and the Weir, In Plows, we have the Moline, St. Joseph and the Bradley. Combined Listers The St. Joseph, Moline and the most Single Listers. The St. Joseph. Mowers. The Osborne and Champion. Binders. The Champion and Osborne, two of the best binders on the market to day. We have all the above stock. Don't fail to give us a call when in need of anything in. our line. We believe we can sell you the best goods in our line in the county for the money. He sure to come and see us.

D. M. MARTIN & CO., of coal oil and gasoline that some kids let out of his tanks and run away. He keeps his house looked but they crawled in through a hole, and of course were not satisfied until they did some devil

Missouri

# "GOOD ENOUGH"

neighbor speaks of. They say it always gives satisfaction, because it was made Earth.



The following farmers have bought the Good Enough Plows of us and are using them. Jacob Markt, Robert Russell, Wm. Pennel, John Feuerbacher, Wm. McKissick, Ed. Fuhrman and Geo. Patterson. They are Hobson's choice, Sampson's favorite, Schley's best pulverizers and Dewey's Spanish annihilaters. Dewey weeds are put under with case. Come and get a Good Enough Plow if you want to be happy. For sale by

T. L. PRICE, Hardware, Oregon, Mo.

Telephone No.-Store, 60; Residence, 54.

# -The Burlington is making marked mprovement all along the line of the k. St. Joe & C. B. The depots are being entirely renovated and repainted Plow, the best there is. Sold by Schulte

isisters dead," repeated the embryo soldier. "How many have you living?"
"Four," "Then you are one of a family of twenty-four children?" asked the sergeant, "Yes, sir." Well, that is a large family, but Oregon can bent this. Mr. Ulrich Bucher, of this city, is the father of twenty-five children, thirteen of whom are being and we will have claim to the

Frame Loans

Version of the particular of the state and part in the course of the state and particular of the particular declares course of the state and particular declares course of the state and

we will.

The Triumph Ball Bearing Sulky is a good thing. -A picked nine from Company B played a game of ball with the 7th Illinois boys,

are living, and we will lay claim to the largest family in the United States until this record is beaten.

—Our Demo-Popocrats held a convention at Craig on Tuesday of last week, at the hands of the Republican convention at Craig on Tuesday of last week, at the hands of the Republican convention at Craig on Tuesday of last week, at the hands of the Republican convention. There was the Stephens and anti-Stephens, factions, there was the Minton and Gwin factions, there was the Minton and Gwin factions, and the committee recommended an anti-fer the Republican Justical.

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—List of letters remaining in the post-office at Forest City, Mo., uncalled for during the month of July, ISSS: Mrs. Aslice Crooks, allier trooks, Alice Crooks, allier trooks, Alice Crooks, at the hands of the Republican convention. Mr. Murphy is so well known to our people, that it seems a waste of space to attempt to tell you who he is. He is every way equipped for the office; and won out by a score of 14 to 7.

—The Senting the month of July, ISSS: Mrs. Alice Crooks, allier trooks, Alice Crooks, all arrhant (5). Miss Alice Croo

-Let us have a railroad. We can if: -A conservative, save, moderate in

-Ludwig Waegele has returned from -D. M. Martin is taking in the Omaha

Personal.

- Joe. Fitts is visiting his brother, J C . for a few days. -B. O. Cowan and wife have returned

heir visit to the Omaha Exposi —Miss Maude Crampton is visiting relatives in Lancaster and Kahoka, this

-Will Stith, of Lincoln, Neb., passes

Sunday in Oregon, the guest of relative and friends. -Archie Crews and wife, of Craig. ere the guests of relatives in Oregon

last Sunday. -Miss Bessie Rankin, of Highland. Kas., is here visiting with her cousin, Mrs. J. J. Pierce.

-Mrs. B. L. Ralph, of Dawson Alaska, is the guest of her sister. Mrs Dr. C. L. Evans -Mrs. George Anderson has returned from an extended visit with her grand children at Shelby, O.

-Jonas Whitmer and wife, of Mounc City, visited friends and relatives in Ore gon, the past few days.

—U. M. Bradley, of Mound City, has sold his property in that city, and has removed to St. Joseph. -Nellie and George, Assiter are visit

ing at the homes of Jno. Price, Oliver Botkin and J. N. Pierce, -Oliver P. Botkin and wife, will visit the Omaha fair this week, and will also

visit in Northern Nebraska. M. D. Walker and wife, are visiting with friends in Mound City, Maitland and other points in Northern Holt. Mrs. Roy Kunkel, of St. Joseph, has

been visiting her parents. Mr. Daniel Zachman and family, the past week. -Ralph Glasscock, of Sabetha, Kas, a former merchant of this city, was at tending to business in Oregon, this week. -Mr. George Hornecker and wife and

Mrs. Anna Smith, of Hickory township, are seeing the sights this week at

-J. W. Sharp, engineer for the water works and electrical light plant, has removed to Forest City, so that he will be close to his work. -Prof. J. B. Tate, of Mexico, Mo.,

ing friends and representing the interests of Hardin college. Rev. H. Crampton is attending the Epworth League conference in session at Laclede. He will also visit in Brook theid before he returns.

10. Farc Forest City to Indianapolis, 216.85.

Buffale Bills Wild West Show, Forest

and Bernie Carr, of this city. She will remain for several days.

—J. W. Botkin, of Tarkio, who has sold from Forest City to Omaha at the

after a very pleasant visit.

—Peter Brunk, a former Holt county citizen, but now a resident of Norcatur,

Kas., was the guest of his father-in-law, A. W. Shambaugh, last week. -Christ Gross, Jr., formerly of this city, but now with the Johnson Wood bury Hat Co., of St. Joseph, was here for a few days visiting relatives and friends. — Rev. John K. Sawyers will spend Subbath with his brother, Rev. H. and at the Presbyterian church Sabbath morning several little ones will be bap-

tized. -Elmer Wickersham, who acts in the capacity of elevator for the Commercial house at Maitland, was visiting with his mother and brother, James, in Oregon

over Sunday.

Kneale Kunkel and family moved to Forest City Monday, where Kneale has been employed to take charge of the en-

gine for the cauning factory during the anning season.

—Mrs. Lee Martin and children, o

Tulsa, I. T., are the guests of J. B. Martin and family, of this city. They have also been visiting numerous other rela tives throughout the county. -Attorney E. L. Hart, of Maitland

was down Tuesday of this week, looking after his legal business, and also talking up the prospects for the coming fair, which promises to be the best in the his tory of the association. Mr. Hart informs us that he has secured better at-tractions than ever before. To do this takes a master hand, well supplied with the "coin of the realm," for the attractions each year at this fair have been the best that money can get. Remember the dates, August 16, 17, 18 and 19. - L. C. Irvine and family, of San An-

tonio. Texas, are the guests of his parents in this city. Louis is looking fine, and would hardly be recognized as the same man of only a few months ago, tice. We trust he may be chosen withwhen he first went to Texas. At that time he only weighed 125 pounds, but now balances the scales at 180 pounds. When he went to San Antonio he was climate, assisted by the wonderful consumption remedy that he is representing, has worked wonders for him. He is a living example of what this cure will accomplish. If you are troubled with your lungs it will pay you to see him.

- Mr. Ove Flatner, of near Minneapo

lis, Minn., who several weeks ago visited our section, the guest of N. F. Murray, is to become a citizen of our county. ter. May Stoyall, and Wing Sing. Please While here Mr. Murray, as president of our Commercial Club, showed Mr. of the above named letters. Office hours Flatner around, and he returned to his tunities our soil and climate offered.
The result of the visit brings Mr. Flat
ner back this week, and he purchased 80
acres of the Melvin land in the neighborhood, where he will put in a fruit
and dairy farm. Mr. Flatner is a member of the agricultural lecture corps of
Minnesota, bis field being dairying; he
has also lectured in this state under our
state board of agriculture. His coming
will mean much to that section, and in

Thomas Curry, P. M.

—In its proper place will be found the
announcement of Judge H. T. Alkire,
asking for the nomination for re-election
to the office of probate judge. Judge
Alkire during his term has made one of
the very best county officials ever elected
to public office in our county. He has
proven himself not only a capable officer,
but one who has been accommodating
in every way, extending every courtesy state board of agriculture. His coming in every way, extending every courtesy will mean much to that section, and in to his fellow professionals, and doing all behalf of our people we extend him a in his power to make those having busi-most cordial welcome. He will take ness in his court to feel that he was

# **BEST TRAINS**

# Nebraska, Colorado, Montana, Black Hills, Utah, California, **Puget Sound.**

# Chicago and St. Louis. VESTIBULED THROUGH TRAINS, SLEEPERS, DINING CARS. CHAIR CARS (SEATE).

ELLIOT MARSHALL, DIV. PASS. ABT., ST. JOSEPH, MO HOWARD ELLIOTT, GEN'L MGR., ST. JOSEPH, MO
W. WARELEY, GEN'L PASS, AGT., ST. LOUIS, MO
VINE HOVEY, Agent,
Forest City, Mo.

# Reduced Rates.

Tickets on sale at Forest City as notic d below: Missouri Day, Omaha Exposition, Au-

gust 30, \$2.25 round trip. Tickets sold for all train, arriving in Omaha August Omaha Exposition any day \$1.15 round

rip, good 30 days.

Home Seekers rates, August 16, Sepmber 6 and 20, October 4 and 15, one fare round trip, plus \$2. G. A. R. Encampment, Cincinnati,

September 5 and 10, one fare plus \$2, Forest City to Cincinnati, O., \$16.20. late of sale September 3, 4 and 5. -Albert Clark and wife, of Mound City, have been down the past week,the guests of their son and daughter and of sale, August 7 and 8. Return limit, of sale, August 7 and 8. Return limit, August 15. Round trip Forest City to In-

dianapolis \$16.85. Summer Tourist tickets on sale any day to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo and return \$25. Limit October was in Oregon the first of the week visit

Grand Encampment and Supreme Lodge Session Knights of Pythias, Indianapolis, Ind., August 22 to Septem ber 10, 1898. Date of sale, August 19, 20 and 21, limit for return to September

-Mrs. Jessie Stone and son, of John-son, Neb., is visiting her brothers, Dan sold August 23; limit for return, August The following dates tickects will be

New Point, has returned to his home Annual convention Society of A Annual convention Society of American Florists, August 16 to 19. Tickets on sale August 14 and 15 including train No. 27, August 16, limit to return August

Annual National Encampment Sons of Veterans U. S. A., September 12 to 16. Tickets on sale September 10 and 11 in luding train No. 27,September 12; limit to return September 21. Commercial Traveler's day,Omaha Ex-

position.September 24. Tickets on sale, Septemper 22 and 23 including train No. 27.September 23; limit to return Septemer 26. Vine Hovey, Agent, ELLIOTT MARSHAL, Forest City, Mo D. F. and P. A., St. Joseph, Mo.

Solky Plow from \$27.50 up at Schulte

interviewing our people this week. The former is assessing for the county, and the latter for this city.

-Mr. H. C. Schmidt received a full car load of those High Grade Newton Wagon and he had one finished in nat-uaral wood which is a beauty. Its worth while to go and see it.

George Praisewater, of Fillmore, 18 being talked up for representative from Andrew county. He would make a splendid representative, and we would -Mr. Jacob Bohart, of near Mound City, came down the other day and took with him a brand new Newton

Wagon. These wagons are getting very popular and are well liked by every one who uses them. -Esq. Kaucher will be a candidate for re-election as justice of the peace for this township. We are so well acquain-ted with him that it is out of place it seems to us to make any extended no-

out opposition. -An enthusiastic railroad meeting was held by our commercial club Mon-When he went to San Antonio he was suffering with lung trouble, but that will do his full duty in this matter. Our people will never have a better oppor-tunity for securing railroad facilities, than the opportunity now offered them.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Oregon, Missouri, for the week ending August 5, 1808: F. B. Cunningham, Dora Corley, Mrs. Annie Herring, B. Boynter, (card), Tom Poyn-ter, May Stoyall, and Wing Sing. Please

from 8 a. m., to 8:30 p. m. THOMAS CURRY, P. M. possession of his new place about Sep- there to serve them-which, in our opinon, he has done in the highest sense.

Corrected weekly by William Kaucher, Justice of the Peace, Oregon, Mo. PRECIPITATION. MAXIMUM. MINIMUM. Fall. Snow

Maximum temperature......96 on 19 Minimum temperature.......56 on 30 Total for first 7 months last yr .. 30.13 in Normal for first 7 months ..... 4251 in

(It will pay you to read this each week.) Jacob A. Oren, Geo. R. Murray, Mrs. Nellie Mitchell and School District 2

-Mrs Molite Baker, who has been quite sick for several days, is now much J. Watson & Co's. Go and see them for pensive goods are exact duplibetter, we are glad to learn.

-Save money -You can save from

-Wm. Cramer delivered a bunch of he always keeps the very best. 32 extra fat cattle here one day last week that topped the Chicago market. They brought \$5:50 and were the first shipped from this place this year to do so. - Mait-

meets Tuesday evening, August 9th. - The postoflice department has de C. W. Walters, one mile south of Oregon.

tion of Buchanan county, near Gower six miles southwest of St. Joseph, Fri-

at any point in the United States.

From St. Louis Via Burlington Route.

Personal Conducted Tourist Sleepers via the Burlington Route from St. Louis to Portland, Oregon, will be established in service commencing February 16th, 1898.

They long St. Louis Via Burlington Route.

and the mechanic arts. The amount received by this state this year and apportioned by Treasurer Pitts is \$24,000, being based on the school population of the state. The money goes to the State University, including the school of mines and metallurgy at Rolla and to Lancoln Institute. The University gets \$22,710.

They leave St. Louis at 8:45 P. M.

HOWARD ELLIOTT, L. W. WAKELEY General Manager, General Passenger

Because we buy in large quan-

GLASSWARE

The quality of the articles we

beautiful. Many of the less ex-

cates of costly cut glass and are

In the Oucensware Department

vill be found everything necessary to the household, either for

Yours for Groceries,

L. I. MOORE & CO.,

-Charlie Thornton, of this city, has

been down with malarial fever the past

-Remember the excursion train to Maitland fair, Aug. 18. One and one-third fare for round trip.

-Rey. W. D. Morge will preach at the

-We are under obligations to Adam

-The Commercial club meets next

If, after the war is over, Fighting

something to swear about, he is invited

to come to Missouri and live awhile un-

-Tommy Riggle, our oil and gasoline man is mourning the loss of \$10 worth

ment. They or their parents should pay

"Please send us a sack of that flour my

from choice old wheat."
"Yes Mam!" we guarantee each and

every sack to give satisfaction. Our millers do not use new wheat before next

For sale only by J. N. Zachman & Co.,

-The committee on amusements for

our jubilee would like very much to have

Mr. Riggle for his loss.

-"Hello, No. 20."

"Is this No. 20?"

"Yes Mam."

ler the administration of Governor

Monday evening, August 8th, much business will be before the club, and our

usiness men should attend.

one-third fare for the round trip.

Stephens.

Klippel, of Portland, Oregon, for late Skaguny, Alaska, and Portland dailies.

3:30 o'clock p.m., providence permitting.

useful or ornamental purposes.

at remarkably low prices.

surprising value.

Telephone, No. 7.

MISSOURI. ities we can offer to sell

 See Zook's city photos enlargements They are up to date and prices reason--See H. Boyd of Forest City, before

Special sale of all summer goods at bargains.

--- Do you need a fine Buggy, \$10 to \$20, by buyingyour Steel Ranges Carriage, Spring Wagon, Road from Schulte Bros., and get better goods wagon or Harness or No. 1 and better warrantee. Than from the Farm Wagon? see H. C. Schmidt;

> Remember this and see him be- Oregon, fore you buy. -A good span of work horses for sale

cheap. See H. C. Schmidt. -The annual reunion of the Blue and the Gray will be held at Craig, September 6, 7, 8 --A No. 1, 20-horse lever power, stump puller for sale or trade. Call on

-Lattle, Long Dan Kunkel, Jr., the

-The school board had a meeting Monday night and declared the seats of E. J. Kellogg and W. S. Thomson va-cant for non attendance, and notified Commissioner F. L. Maxwell to fill them,

Craig Courier.

ld be found after the storm had com- from other points 600 more, making total of 1,000 cars of stuff shipped by one enterprising hustler in a year's time.

- Maitland Herald. -Applications for bonds in sums of \$500 and under \$5,000 were filed in Washington to the sum of eight times the whole amount asked for. Inquiry

> ing for our people is a very good one. -State Treasurer, F. L. Pitts, has apportioned the money received by the state of Missouri from the national gov-ernment under the operation of what is known as the Morrill law, enacted in 1890, by congress, for the maintenance of schools for the benefit of agriculture

90, and the Institute \$1,280.10. —An exchange gives the following as an amusing method to wind up an evening party: Take the guests into the dining room and turn out the lights. Make all sit around the room, in the middle of which place a soup plate. In the soup plate place some common salt and alcohol. Light the alcohol and look of the faces in the circle. They look cle or saddle-horse. A premium is exand alcohol. Light the alcohol and look at the faces in the circle. They look natural at first, but as the alcohol burns out and the salt becomes ignited the flame changes from blue to yellow, and the changes in the different faces are very startling. They take on a ghastly look as though drawn like parchment. Then the faces become almost black, and when the flame dies out, you unconsciously try to wipe the black off—it's all the light from the salt.

of the committee, naming kind of vehicle or saddle-horse. A premium is expected to be offered for the best decorated 2 horse carriage; best single horse buggy; best decorated saddle-horse.

—The Albany, New York, Argus, speaking of a recuit from Cohoes, that state, and who had enlisted in the regular army, said that he was a member of perhaps what was once the largest family in the United States. The recruiting sergeant asked him the question:

Notary - Public,

FOREST CITY, MO.

Deeds, Mortgages and Pension Vouches a specialty. All kinds of conveyancing attended to promptly.

Notice is hereby given, that the County Court of Holt County, Missouri, will remember to the light from the salt.

—From the Portland, Oregon, Oregonian, we glean the following in regard to a former Oregon boy, Edgar Klippel: Superintendent O'Brien has appointed E. A. Klippel superintendent of telegraph of the O. R. & N., vice J. H. Guild, deceased. The appointment is made to date from June 22. Mr. Klippel was acting superintendent during the long illness of Mr. Guild and the formal appointment does not change his situation much. He has been managering. "How many brothers and sisters have you, and how many are dead?" The question seemed to be a puzzler for the young seldier. He bent his head as though in deep thought, and finally after a long pause answered. "Nineteen!" you misunderstood my question said the sergeant. "I asked you if you had any brothers and sisters dead and how many." "I have nineteen brothers and sisters dead," repeated the embryo soldier. "How many have you living." Notice is hereby given, that the County Court of Holt County, Missouri, will receive bids for 50 cords of good hard, dry body wood, with no large knots. To be local O. R. & N. telegraph office for nearly 10 years, and has rendered very efficient service. J. H.

> -A lady writing to one of our neigh boring exchanges, gives the following pertinent suggestions, gratis: Mr. Editor:—A lady wants to say a few words to the merchants, and really it is a deli-cate subject to handle. You know it is